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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Ming-Dou KER, et al.

Serial No.: 09/773,754

Filed: February 2, 2001

For: ESD PROTECTION DESIGN WITH TURN-ON RESTRAINING METHOD
AND STRUCTURES



Confirmation No.: 6902

Art Unit: 2826

Examiner: A. Sefer

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Date: October 31, 2002

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated June 6, 2002 for two (2) months from September 6, 2002 to November 6, 2002.

Attached please find the amount of \$400.00 to cover the cost of the extension. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 50-2394. This paper is filed in triplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

IPS, Inc.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Robert J. Forsell, Jr."

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